

## Mr. Man!

*You will always have some place to go if you are dressed up in one of these Coats.*

The coat you have been waiting for to wear in the cool fall nights has just arrived. Smart and dressy, just the right weight, and priced at just **\$10.00 - - to - \$20.00**

## How would you like to Buy a Ten Dollar bill for a Five-Spot

We are not allowed to sell these but we are offering something equally as good in our stock of Panama Hats which we are selling at Half-price to clear.

**Usual Price \$6.00. Now \$3.00**

## Of Interest to Women!

The latest Government Reports show that the Fruit Crop is very light this year, which means you should take advantage of favorable prices and place your order early if you intend to preserve Plums, Peaches, Pears or Apricots.

**McKEE'S STORE,** License No. 8-2836.  
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS & CROCKERY  
AND EVERYTHING FOR A MAN TO WEAR.

## ROY SMITH

THE FORD AUTO  
GARAGE AND AUTO LIVERY  
TERMS REASONABLE PHONE 124 PROMPT SERVICE  
Bassano, Alta.

August 23rd 1918.

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Owing to the demands of my ever-increasing creditors and the fact that my sole support, viz: my bank account has left me ("Drafted" you say?—Yes, drafted out of existence") I am forced to

### Raise Some Cash by Selling Tires at Cost

You need, or will soon need, the tires. I need the money. Come in and secure some of these while the stock lasts at the following unheard-of prices:

30x34 Heavy rough tread tires - \$20.00  
30x34 Medium " " " " - \$18.00  
30x34 Smooth tread tires (any make) - - - \$17.00  
30x34 Inner tubes if purchased with a casing - - - \$3.00

Other sizes of tires at greatly reduced rates. Come in now! The stock cannot last long at these prices.

Yours truly,

ROY SMITH,

The Ford Garage

## TOWN COUNCIL

Application Of C.P.R. Points To Activities At Bassano.  
Municipal Hospital Petitions Nearly Completed

An announcement was made at the Council Meeting on Monday last, which would—made four years ago—have been responsible for the widest expenditures in real estate, and would probably have been used as a bait to entice a simple and unsuspecting public to bite at the tempting morsel of quick profits dangled before them by the secure fishermen who have long since been forced back to honest employment by the clarifying process of the war.

The announcement in question was that which was contained in the application of the Natural Resources Dept. of the C.P.R. for the closing of certain streets and lanes between Blocks 34 and 40, preparatory to the erection of Engineering headquarters, offices, storage sheds, spur tracks, etc., on the properties owned by them just east of town.

But we are commencing our story in the middle, and have omitted to introduce our characters in proper sequence.

Mayor Bredin was in the chair, wearing his Red Cross badge and customary smile. Councillors and Playfair also sported the insignia of obligation; honorably met as did Secretary Doud, Solicitor McLean and spectators Mayor and Alder.

Councillor Webster was present with a pained expression and an overflow basin, neither of which, however, prevented him from taking an active part in the proceedings or moving the adjournment.

The minutes of the previous meeting having received the approval of the Council and solemnly signed by the Mayor, the Secretary acquainted the Council with the volume of business which had accumulated in the interregnum.

"B. Fowler, of somewhere over the border, made application for the re-purchase of certain lots which had been forfeited by him under the last Tax Enforcement proceedings. The application was accepted subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs."

Then was introduced the application which would have caused a flutter of excitement four years ago, as explained earlier in the story. Mr. Angell was present and explained in detail what was proposed by his department. The application for permission to close the roads and lanes was made to enable the company to enclose their property and to provide a continuous line of buildings with the spur track adjoining. Mr. Angell briefly outlined the proposed work which was the erection of offices and engineering shops, sheds and storehouses.

The application was granted subject to approval of the ratepayers, the advertising in connection with same to be borne by the company.

Mr. Angell intimated that the company would require the water system extended to the property, which would mean that a portion of the town would be land considerably by the proposition. This matter however was not discussed by the council at any length.

The Canadian Development Co. wrote the Council with reference to obtaining a compromise in the adjustment of the taxes outstanding against the Fairview subdivision. It was finally decided to grant a reduction similar to that which governed previous transactions, and

## Local Man Hears Guns Seventy-five Miles Off.

Sapper Connolly Tells of Old Bassano Boy in England

A T. Connolly, in a letter recently received from him by G. B. H. Doud, tells of meeting Pte. Clifton while on a route march in England. "Clig," he said, was looking very well considering his wounds and seemed in good spirits.

The writer also refers to the comparative conditions of England and Canada, and remarks that the latter are wonderfully fortunate, and should make greater efforts to conserve in every way to avoid the compulsory rationing which is adopted in England.

He speaks, also, of the work of the Y.M.C.A. and describes it as an oasis of cheer and comfort in a desert of privation and cheerlessness.

Though seventy-five miles from the battle line, he could hear the sound of the guns which pressed the end of the German advance last June.

The cooking and general conditions here, he says, are better, though the food is limited in amount.

His letter, on the whole, emanates a spirit of cheerfulness in spite of adverse weather conditions and the restrictions of the segregation camp, to which every battalion is recruited on its arrival in England.

## The Best Alfalfa.

Regarding the fairly varieties of alfalfa our experience leads to the conclusion that the best varieties for Alberta are Grimm and Baltic and these are equally good. This applies to all parts of the province, though most of our alfalfa has been grown in Southern Alberta so far. Turkestan has given very moderate results, even under the best conditions. Siberian is not recommended. The method under which these seeds were sown in rows, thirty-six inches apart, at the rate of two to a bushel per acre. No seed of any account has yet been produced on the Demonstration Farm, or on the experimental plots of the School of Agriculture. The best seed available at present is the Grimm seed secured from Mr. Munro of the Canada Land and Irrigation Company.

AGRICULTURAL GAZETTE.

a by-law to that effect was given its first and second readings and then the third reading and finally passed.

The secretary reported that the preliminary arrangements for the establishment of the Municipal Hospital district, were progressing very favorably and that it was anticipated that the matter would be completed before the next Council Meeting.

Following which the Mayor and Secretary with the able assistance of Solicitor McLean discussed the legality morality and advisability of Sinking Funds: the Mayor taking the moral, the solicitor (of course) the legal—to say nothing of the humorous and the secret (equally of course) the advisability. Coun. Webster, while acknowledging the moral and acquiescing in the legal, was inclined to regard the advisable end of the question, while Dep. Mayor Skegitt continued that the town, by fulfilling the legalities, had no right to assume the moralities also and also supported the advisability of the matter. Coun. Playfair sat tight knowing full well that the obvious would win out. Which it did to the expressed relief of the Mayor and the manifest approval of the secretary.

After which Coun. Webster jumped into the limelight with the adjournment motion.

## Shooting Season Opens Labor Day

Get your ammunition and your guns at the store which guarantees your satisfaction. We stock only the best makes which you will find cheapest in the long run. Get our prices.

## A FEW SNAPS!

Galvanized Iron Boilers, reg. 2.25 \$1.75  
Clothes Baskets, reg. 1.75 \$1.55  
Wringers and Tubstands \$3.25  
Washing Machines from \$13.50 to \$50.00

## Get Your Stove Repairs NOW!

Don't Wait until you want to use the stove—Order them now and you won't care if it does Snow!

**Currie & Milroy, Ltd., Bassano.**  
Agents for Deering Farm Machinery.  
Our prices convince others---They will you

## THE GEM THEATRE

Fri. & Sat.—Billy Burke in "The Mysterious Miss Terry."  
Monday and Tuesday  
CARMEL MYERS in "My Unmarried Wife."  
Wednesday and Thursday  
DOROTHY DAHLTON in "The Price Mark."  
Friday and Saturday  
Douglas Fairbanks in "The Man from Painted Post."—30c.

## A SNAP In Men's Button Shoes

We have a Line of Men's Gun Metal Button Shoes, These Shoes are Hamilton's Famous Model Make, bought before the War, and are worth \$8.50 today.

We are Selling these Shoes Now at \$6.00 Per Pair.

Sizes in Stock:—  
6, 6 1-2, 7, 7 1-2, 8, 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2

## Groceries and Provisions

Always fresh up-to-date Stock.

Fruit and Vegetables.

**JAS. JOHNSTON** The Quality Store.





**W**HAT will become of you when age and weakness come. Secure now an EXCELSIOR Endowment.  
Write for pamphlet to-day  
**THE EXCELSIOR LIFE INSURANCE CO.**  
WINNIPEG SASKATOON EDMONTON VANCOUVER  
(Agents Wanted in Unrepresented Districts)

**SMOKE TACKETTS**  
**T & B CUT**

Then, after an extended tour through the west, high over the C.P.R. tracks, McEltherick and his party visited other lines, during which they carefully noted crop prospects, the size of the harvest and the extent to which the West was suffering from drought. In Western Canada this year will yield grain at least as many bushels per acre as last year, provided, of course, the conditions continue as favorable as they are at present. This was the statement made July 15th by Mr. C. McEltherick, assistant passenger traffic manager of the C.P.R. at Winnipeg, who had just returned from a business trip to Montreal on a business trip.

Mr. McEltherick said that in some parts of Alberta and Saskatchewan drought and winds had cut into the possibilities of the harvest seriously, while in larger districts recent rains had helped the grain stand wonderfully, so that where a few weeks ago there "littered" it is tight it now seemed like there would be at least fair crops in Manitoba, which province has during recent years been behind in wheat production. Mr. McEltherick said the prospects were particularly bright in the large acreage of wheat acreage, and every prospect

**The Wisdom of Bennie**  
 "My boy Bennie is lazy, but I can say he is smart," said the musician. "Is he going to follow in my footsteps?"  
 "No. I learned to play the treble bone, and I've got to march—about eight miles every time there is a parade. Bennie is learning the harp, and he will have to sit him self down to practice."

There is Beauty in Every Jar

**MILK WEED**

THERE IS BEAUTY IN EVERY JAW

**Ingram's Milkweed Cream**

PREPARED BY F. H. INGRAM

FIGHTS ALL FACIAL BLEMISHES, SUPPLEMENTS AND RESTORES THE SKIN

PROMOTES THE GROWTH OF EXTRA LIP AND LIPS

AND BRINGS ABOUT THE MOST SATISFYING AND RAPIDLY EFFECTED IMPROVEMENT OF THE FACIAL FEATURES

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**F. H. INGRAM**

MADE IN U.S.A.

# Ingram's

## Milkweed Cream

Two Sizes—50c and \$1

You are young but once, but you can be youthful always if you care for your complexion properly. Daily use of Ingram's Milkweed Cream prevents blemishes, overcomes pimples and other eruptions. Since 1851 this distinctive complexion quality has been giving health to the skin and youthful color to the complexion. It keeps your skin toned up, soft and clean.

The refined way to banish oiliness and shininess of nose and forehead is treated by perspiration, is to apply a light

touch of Ingram's Velveta Soothing Face Powder. 50c. It also corrects the minor blemishes. Included in the complete line of Ingram's toilet products at your druggist's is Ingram's Zedenta for the teeth, 25c.

### A Picture with Each Purchase

Each time you see 75 pictures of Ingram's Toilet Aids or Perfume and Toilet Goods, you will be charged a large portion of a world-famed motion picture actress. Each picture is a picture of a woman as beautiful as you make a collection for your home. Ask your druggist.

F. F. Ingram Co. Wislizeny Building

**LIFT YOUR CORNS  
OFF WITH FINGERS**

How to Loosen a tender corn  
or callus so it lifts out  
without pain

The question related to the form that the answer took. "I said the counsel," "how large are these lumps?" "I say they are oblong—are they as long as my head?" "The barrister asked Mr. B., "but not as thick." The barrister added after that—The Argonaut.

Minard's Unlabeled Cures Burns, etc.

**The Secret of Advertising**

A Warning to the Advertiser Who

in the campaign must be fatal to any product. So, we find Mr. George H. Clark, vice-president of the American Cigar Rolling Mills Company, declaring the company's purpose to continue to sell cigarettes without any two and a half years it had been unable to supply the demand for his product. "We are continuing to sell a permanent staple," he says, "and some day we would have to spend millions of dollars buying back the business of the country because the cigarettes they are forsaken in this emergency." Unless advertising is kept up, he warns, the business will collapse. The results of the initial effort, he says, are a warning to the advertiser who neglects the dull season in summer.

The Canada food board estimates that the cost of the campaign to increase fish consumption will be \$100,000. The board says that the campaign will result in the consumption of 200,000 pounds of beef over the month of May, and approximately the same amount in June, by the substitution of the meat a train load of flat cars from Prince Rupert, B.C., sold at popular prices under the auspices of the Canada food board. The board says that the use of mackerel were sold with the same as the result of a special campaign.

as to what this stands for and one of the most popular beliefs is that this is the site of the latter day Noah's ark, in whom the cats are being grown to win the war.

Scientific evidence on the supernatural feeling and are expecting great good luck from this sign. It is stated that only once before, and that in 1901, has the phenomenon been observed in this locality and that time was due to a meteorite falling in the same year Scarborough had one of the best oat crops in its history. The same phenomenon has been observed in Brant county.

Professor Bonard Objections

Professor Bonard Objections are strongly opposed to the Knappton sign, saying the broad "N" is Professor Bugge—And was a

Professor Nutworthy—Last when I was being introduced to audience the speaker referred to the facili brain and every one he said "foolish brain,"—L. Herald.

**SMOKE TUCKER**  
**Q & A**

**This French Ace Is Nervous**

Great Flier Lacks Even the Usual Superstition About Planes

Rene Fonck, the young ace of aces who recently won his forty-ninth officially recorded victory, may be described as the man with the perfect nerve, but so is not true. Those who have had the opportunity to study him closely believe this su-

its speed, all this before any of the others had seen it at all. "I was a fanatic on the subject. When he failed in his morning tea, he wrote me a letter about the matter and machine guns. But more often he sits through dinner with his hands clasped in prayer. I have been speaking of tactics, he has none, or at least no set method. He improves as he goes along. Like the others, he is a little over the top. He is full of ingenious surprises. Incidentally, Brocard believed in him from the first. A year ago Georgia

observers) and always without a scratch to himself or his machine. For Fonce never has been wounded. And he is a victor because before the German adversary had a chance to fire a shot, incidentally Fonce had already killed the German aviator than any other man among the allies.

Broadly taught him to fly anything and everything, including the first artillery observation machine with two motors. Fonce himself says that he has never been shot, except the one he attempted to make out of his mother's breast when he was five years old. "I was the buffet," he says, and the results were painfully unsatisfactory.

He has been a hero, a hero

Just as I was laid up in bed at night and could not walk, I bought three bottles of your medicine and I was cured in three days so that I could start on the road."

JOS. J. BROWN  
Commercial

**Naturalized Import**

Commenting on the death of a German-born man in Constantinople, the *Washington Post* recently expressed the hope that many will win, the New York *Times* says:

"The principle establishing large importance, therefore, is that the

carries women and children, or wounded men, prisoners, or physical classes or "nursing" classes always hitherto exempt from attack—arouses in the German soul a "civilization" temptation to kill. That is why the indictment of civilization against Germany is fundamentally a charge of murder.—From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

**Fully Equipped**  
 (As husband starts for the office)—Have you everything, dear?  
 (Husband—Yes, season ticket, registration card, sugar, butter, registration card, meat card, bread card,

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# THE TOWN OF BASSANO, ALBERTA

## List of Lands Forfeited under Tax Enforcement Proceedings to be Sold by Auction Sale.

The Town of Bassano will offer for sale by Public Auction at the Town Hall, Bassano, on Monday, September 16th, 1918, beginning at 3 o'clock p.m., and continuing with whatever adjournments are necessary from time to time until all properties offered are disposed of, the following properties which have become forfeited to the Town under Tax Enforcement Proceedings.

This sale will be subject to prior redemption and for cash.

Lot No.	Acres	Block No.	Plan No.
6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.			

## The Bassano Mail.

There will be no issue of the Mail next week. The sheriff has not seized the plant, neither have we been forced to suspend publication on account of seditious utterances; the P. D. has not gone on strike; nor is the editor going away to be married. The plain facts are we need a holiday and have decided to close the office for a week.

We have made arrangements with the Brooks Dullest to rush out an extra in case of a fire, the marriage of Bob McLean or some such calamity during our absence.

We trust however that Bro. Nesbitt's slumbers may not be unduly disturbed by any accidental or incidental happening in Bassano and we have perfect confidence in the Mayor and Chief McEntee's ability to preserve the peace during our absence.

In other words we do not suppose our absence will prove of any great hardship, especially as every one is busy harvesting.

During our brief vacation we intend to study the Eyeopener, the Crag and Canyon, and sundry other examples of contemporary literature the effects of which may be noticed in our comments when we again take up the pen and ink roller.

The sale of Town lots which have been forfeited by non-payment of taxes is advertised again this week and will appear also in the next two issues.

It is unnecessary to remind our readers of the valuable opportunity this sale presents for the purchase of lots at positively sacrifice prices.

It may be interesting to point out that the great majority of large investors from outside points, men and companies who are better able to appreciate the future of the town than most of our citizens, are holding on to and even in cases increasing their interests in Bassano.

While the Mail does not propose to encourage or endeavor to create any litchious boom in town property, we deprecate the policy which so often prevails of undervaluing and under-estimating the prospects.

Bassano must by reason of its location and by reason of the ever-increasing volume of trade carried on in the town adjacent to it on the Empress and Irricana lines, command the attention of the large wholesale houses as a favorable shipping point.

It is impossible to discover the ultimate intentions of the C.P.R. at this point but it is obvious that the pay-roll of employees must increase as the volume of business grows on the branch lines.

All of which is indicative that people who take advantage of the sale by buying property close in, now may reasonably regard the outlay as an investment and not a speculation, especially if such properties are improved by the erection of residences.

## FOR RENT!

Comfortable furnished house with bath, hot and cold water, and every convenience, furnace heat. Apply MRS. DOLTON, Tel. A. 6, Opposite Hospital.

## ESTRAY

One Red Cow, brand VY, lost May 21, in H. L. LATHROP'S, Mojave.



## What Will You Do For Help?

FARM help is scarce, but this condition can be relieved to a marked degree by using machines that accomplish more work in a given time with less man power.

Why should the farmer cling to horses—a slow, expensive means of power—when every other business is adopting the truck and thereby reducing the cost of hauling, seeding and delivering, and saving for human needs the food that the horses would otherwise consume?

The motor driven truck can work constantly at maximum load under the burning summer sun, or in the coldest weather. Unlike the horse it needs no rest while working. It cuts only while in actual use, and when the day's work is done it requires very little attention, and leaves you free for other work about the place. Then, it can be housed in one-quarter the space of the horse, wagon and harness it replaces.

It is a mistaken idea that a truck is useful only for driving upon paved roads. The truck can be driven all over the farm, and used for hauling grain, potatoes, fruit, roots, fertilizer, wood, stumps, milk or any other product. The speed it travels, the time it saves, and its low upkeep cost appeal very strongly to all users of the Ford truck. If you need help, order your Ford One Ton Truck today.

NEW PRICES—Effective August 15th, 1918.

TOURING	\$ 690	CHASSIS	\$ 625
RUNABOUT	\$ 600	COUPE	\$ 876
SEDAN	\$ 1075		

ROY SMITH Dealer BASSANO

## Locating Underground Streams

NEUTRONICAN stream locators usually provide the best supplies of water, both in quantity and economy. This facility is that the striking of them is generally a matter of "one accident." Frequent and certain indications have claimed the power of being able to locate such streams by aid of a device known as the "Neutronic" stream locator. This device is made of a small battery, a small coil of wire, and a small magnet. The battery is connected to the coil, and the coil is connected to the magnet. The magnet is connected to the stream, and the stream is connected to the battery. The battery is connected to the coil, and the coil is connected to the magnet. The magnet is connected to the stream, and the stream is connected to the battery.

A WATERFINDER. Another method of locating water is by using a waterfinder. This is a device which is used to locate water by means of a small battery, a small coil of wire, and a small magnet. The battery is connected to the coil, and the coil is connected to the magnet. The magnet is connected to the stream, and the stream is connected to the battery.

THE PRINCIPLE. The principle of the instrument is based on the fact that water is a conductor of electricity. When a small battery is connected to a small coil of wire, and the coil is connected to a small magnet, the magnet will attract the water. This is the principle of the instrument.

## Ogilvie's Gov't Standard Flour

For Sale by McKee, The Grocer - Bassano

## DON'T FORGET! Berry Creek Fair September 6th

Get Your Entries In Early

## THE BOY AS AN INDIVIDUAL

You wouldn't make a carpenter out of a boy if he preferred and showed a talent for medicine—and vice versa. Why put a boy into "just clothes?" Why not give him the advantage of individuality in dress?

## Wear Better Clothes for Boys

The Clothes with the Guarantee. It applies to boys' dress the same high standards of distinctiveness and quality that ordinarily are to be found only in men's apparel.

Our line of "Wear Better" clothes is remarkable for smartness of cut and for hard wear.

Prices range widely so as to fit as well as the clothing.

TORGAN - THE TAILOR





## FOR SALE

Improved and Improved Farm  
lands where the World's Best Cattle are  
raised. Plenty of land, abundance of  
hay \$15.00 in 1000 ft. per acre.  
By W. C. & HILSON,  
Edmonton, Alta.

## TENDERS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE

Sealed tenders will be received by the  
Board of Trustees of the School District No. 203 at the office of the  
Secretary-Treasurer, up to noon, August 10th, 1914, for the erection of a  
school building. Plans and specifications are to be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer on payment of a deposit  
of \$5.00, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide order with plans and specifications. See letter attached to plans for further details and conditions. The lowest or any tender will not be accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Department of Education.

J. H. GREWIER,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
Alberta, Calgary, Alberta.  
This August 6th, 1914.

## HAY FOR SALE

I have 1/2 section of hay for sale which  
should cut 200 tons. Apply for terms to  
BOX 50, EDMONTON.

## Dr. B. E. BARLOW

Veterinary Surgeon  
and Dentist

Day and Night Calls Promptly  
Attended.

## Office:

The Exchange Stables,  
Bassano.  
Phone: Office, 24; Residence, 20.

## CHURCH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

(ANGLO-CAN)  
Corner 8th Avenue and 10th Street.  
Services every week as advertised.  
Sunday School 8:00 a.m.  
Rev. A. C. SWANSON, Vicar

## Bassano PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services—7:00 p.m.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Rev. T. S. PATON.

## WE ARE LARGER

THE CANADIAN CREDIT CO.  
Saskatoon Business College, CALGARY  
Saskatoon Business College, REGINA

## FAT'S QUICK LUNCH

TRUCKS AT ALL HOURS  
Fruits, Candy, Ice Cream, Etc.  
Greens in Season  
MEALS 25c. up  
Phone 13  
BASSANO, ALBERTA

## For Sale

Heavy Draft Mares  
and Geldings.

Also a number of  
yearlings, two-year-olds & mares with  
colts.

Included in the bunch are a  
number of Registered  
Clydesdale Stock.  
Broken and Unbroken

Ogilvie's Ranch  
On the Red Deer.

DR. A. G. SCOTT  
M.D. Toronto; M.C.P.S. Alberta  
PHYSICIAN  
and SURGEON  
PHONE—Office—Residence—251

## BURNS &amp; MAJOR

Builders, Sculptors, Statues, Etc.  
R. C. BURNS, E. L. MAJOR  
J. S. HAYDON, S. J. MAJOR  
ROBERT MAJOR  
OFFICES: 15 Alexander Street,  
BASSANO, ALBERTA

## MRS. M. GRAY

FURNITURE and UNDERTAKING  
Selling Day and Night  
Domestic Furniture and Upholstery Plans 10c.

## Harry Holmes BUILDER

Plans 10c  
Estimates given free on all work.

Bassano Lodge  
No. 55  
A. F. & A. M.  
Meets First Thursday of each month.  
Visiting Brethren always welcome.  
E. McLaughlin, W. M. John Cole, Sec.

Bassano Municipal Hospital  
Graduate Nurses in attendance  
for particulars write  
A. G. Scott—Superintendent

## DR. A. D. SPANKIE

M.D., C.M.  
Eye, Nose, Ear & Throat Specialist  
OFFICE:  
Suite 121-122, West Bank Hotel,  
Corner 8th Ave. and 2nd St. S.,  
CALGARY.

Intern & House Officer, St. Elizabeth's  
Hospital, New York City, 1911-1914.  
Specialist to Calgary School Board

## \$10 REWARD

STRAYED  
One black horse branded N.R. on right  
shoulder, weight about 1100 lbs.,  
paid for information or recovery of  
above by  
L. L. FLYBURNER,  
Calgary.

## FOUND

On the Majorville trail, a set of six  
cartridges for an automatic, probably  
McLaughlin. Lower can have same by  
paying for this advertisement.

## LOST

One black H.P. pasture. One bay horse  
branded D.Y. with bar on left side,  
and bar on left hip. One bay horse,  
branded with eye on right hip, both  
lost. Ten Dollars reward for return of  
same to Playfair's barn, Bassano.  
D. J. ROBINSON,  
Bassano.

## ESTRAY!

Alaskan Terrier at residence of advertiser.  
Owner may have same by proving  
ownership and paying for this advertisement.

## WANTED

Wanted at once. An industrious man,  
who can earn \$100.00 per month and  
expenses, selling our products in  
Yukon. Must have some means for  
stationary expenses and travel. Contract  
stated by 2 responsible men. Address  
W. T. Hargrave, 65, Lord Wingham,  
Montreal, giving age, occupation and  
references.

## LOST

Team of young Mares, one black and  
one grey. Finder, return or send to  
John Forest, Kitchissippi Farms,  
Beynon, Alta., and suitable reward will  
be given.

## WANTED

Through Harvest Season—A Girl for  
housework—Wages \$25.00 a month or  
more to right party—Apply to A. S.  
CLEMENTS, Majorville.

## NOTICE!

## The Peoples Market Limited

With respect to respectfully notify all their  
patrons that they are doing a strictly  
CASH TRADE.

They would very much like to accommo-  
date those who wish credit but would not  
like to discriminate among their many  
customers, and as it would be impossible  
to extend credit to all, they have,  
therefore, decided to deal only for cash  
except to stockholders, who may have  
credit for 30 days only, and to the  
extent of 50 per cent of their paid-up  
stock.

Any customer, therefore, wishing to  
run an account with The Peoples Market  
Limited is invited to subscribe for  
stock and, besides obtaining interest  
on their investment, will receive at the  
end of the year a co-operative dividend  
on all business transacted with their  
company.

## Locating Underground Streams

(Continued from Opposite Page)  
with the waterfinder made by himself or  
others, and which, rendered necessary,  
his opinion would have carried more  
conviction. One thing is certain: the  
needle does oscillate in some locations  
and not in others—we have proved this  
over and over again by actual trial, and  
to India, under the direction of Dr.  
H. B. Mackenzie, President of the  
Geographical College, at whose  
request we have been sent out to select  
the instrument in the trap region of  
Western India, where water is very  
scarce, and to find out what water  
being struck in every one of the streams, and  
Dr. Mackenzie's conclusions, quoted from his  
Bulletin No. 75 of 1910, are as follows: "Ex-  
periments with the Automatic Waterfinder"  
is as follows:

Therefore, that in a country where at  
least forty per cent of wells under  
normal circumstances are failures, even  
in selected areas, wherever the automatic  
waterfinder has indicated water, and a  
careful test, including boring, has been  
made, water has been found. As a rule,  
the supply indicated has been within the  
depths of well sinkings in a few cases,  
underground water has been found by  
boring, at depths varying up to 120 ft.  
Only one criticism can be made of these  
results, I think, and that is, that similar  
boring would have been done all circles  
where water supply was scarce.  
Other borings, in what were con-  
sidered likely sites, do not justify this  
conclusion. "I have only given up  
per cent of successes, as against complete  
success when the waterfinder has been  
used and indicated water."

It must be remembered, however, that  
to have so far found no instance of using  
the instrument which enables us to say with  
certainty the depth at which the water  
will be found, or the quantity. Messrs.  
McLaughlin & Co., the makers of the in-  
strument, we have used, state that they  
control, within small limits, the quantity  
of water to be obtained, but we have not  
been able to do this.

It would seem, however, sufficiently  
proved that under no conditions will  
prevail in the trap areas of Western  
India, where underground water occurs  
in well-defined streams that in a rock  
desert, searching under time we are

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

## Change in Train Service.

Effective Sunday, August  
18th, there will be a general  
change in train service.

Times for Trains at Bassano:  
No. 1. No. 3. No. 2. No. 4.  
2:24 14:47 4:00 17:41  
Nos. 13 and 14 are withdrawn.  
Express Train leaves Monday  
Wednesday and Friday 7:00 a.m.  
Frisco Train leaves Friday at  
8:00 a.m.

For further particulars apply to any  
Ticket Agent.  
J. E. PROCTOR,  
Dist. Passenger Agent, Calgary

## FOR SALE

10-20 Tons Tractor complete, 3-14 in.  
gauge, 9 extra shafts, plowed only 200  
acres.

See J. S. THOMAS  
Gen. J. O. Alie

Mail Want Ad. pay. Try one!

pressure, and sometimes under considerable  
pressure, the automatic waterfinder  
can be used with advantage in locating  
streams of water which can be tapped  
either by well digging or by boring.  
Mr. G. H. Brooks of the Department  
of Agriculture, Queensland, Australia,  
has also done some very interesting work  
with the waterfinder, combining it with  
the diving rod method, and tracing  
underground streams by both. In spite  
of the fact that water is very scarce in  
the areas where the waterfinder has been  
used by him, no failures are recorded on  
sites selected by the instrument.

## Free to Children

The services of Mr. Powers  
the Optometrist will be given  
to School Children free of  
charge for the thorough exami-  
nation of their eyes, from the  
26th Aug. to September 1st.

Appointments now being booked  
at the Optical Parlor.

## Powers Optical &amp; Jewellery Co.

## Atlas Lumber Co'y

## Galt Coal

Buy your winter's supply now  
while it can be got. We were  
fortunate to get deliveries, but  
can't guarantee for the future.  
REMEMBER the demand is far  
greater than the supply, so  
The Time to Buy is NOW!

## 12in. Dry Firewood

The ideal summer fuel. Easy  
to split; just the kind for  
summer use and kindling.

## Atlas Lumber Co., Ltd.

C. F. DOOLEY, Local Manager.

## \$25 REWARD

## STRAYED

One Temper of Gelding, one bay and  
one grey, weighing about 1500 each both  
have split ears and show harness marks.  
Above reward will be paid for recovery  
of horses by 14th Sept. 1914.  
CROWFOOT FARMING CO.,  
Calgary or Hinton P. Office.

One Grey Gelding, wearing halter, and  
one Brown Gelding, branded on left  
shoulder, 10 on left thigh and 22 on  
right thigh, has brand in hindleg.  
Reward of \$5.00 each for information  
leading to their recovery.  
H. WAMBORGAN,  
Calgary or Hinton P. Office.

## A GUARANTEED Garage Service!

We beg to notify motorists of the town and  
district that we have taken over the garage  
formerly run by G. Pincoe.

We have been in the business for the past  
15 years, and undertake repair work to all  
makes of cars.

We guarantee all work under the satisfaction  
or money back test. We test all batteries  
free of charge and, if necessary, we will re-  
charge them.

W. E. SANBROOK, Proprietor

## Buy an Irrigated Farm

## From the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Irrigation makes the farmer  
independent of rainfall, and  
insures good crops, not oc-  
casionally, but EVERY YEAR.  
Irrigation makes possible the  
successful culture of alfalfa,  
the "King of alfalfa," which in-  
sures good returns in dry and  
mild seasons.  
Irrigation means intensive farm-  
ing and close settlement, with  
all the advantages of a densely  
populated agricultural community.  
Irrigation in the Canadian Pacific  
Railway Irrigation Block is no  
longer an experiment, the years  
that it has been tried having  
absolutely demonstrated its success  
wherever intelligently applied.  
This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record.  
For full particulars, apply to  
Allan Cameron, General Supt. of Lands  
Canadian Pacific Railway, Department of Natural Resources  
600 Park Street East, Calgary, Alberta.







## Crown Lumber Co.

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We are still here and ready to supply you with

The Very Best of Everything in Building  
Materials

Lumber (finest sanded finish),  
Lath, Brick Cement, Plaster,  
Full line of Doors and Windows  
Poles and Posts.

In fact, ask for anything you want  
in this line, for we will have it!

## Crown Lumber Co., Ltd.

JOS. WRIGHT,

Box 26 Nine years local Manager. Phone 31

## Our Service is at Your Service!

Whether you are in trouble on the trail or in town our Garage Service is at your service at all times.

Whatever your trouble may be bring it to us, we will locate it and give you our figure for repairing same free and without obligation.

THE GENERAL GARAGE, F. H. Berry, Manager

## LOANS FOR LIVESTOCK

To good Farmers living in the vicinity of its Rural Branches, THE UNION BANK is prepared to make loans, on reasonable terms, for the purpose of purchasing cattle for feeding or breeding purposes.

Consult the Local Manager for particulars.

## UNION BANK OF CANADA

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$5,000,000.00  
TOTAL ASSETS EXCEED \$140,000,000.00

The Pioneer Bank of Western Canada

BASSANO BRANCH - G. W. BOYD, Manager  
Cluny Branch, F. B. Stephens, Manager

## Home Dressed Meats

IT'S A PLEASURE  
TO SERVE

meat which, tender juicy beef or pork to be had at this market. This is more pleasant to taste. Try a roast for Sunday dinner if you would know what good eating it will cost you nothing to try it. Our prices are no higher than others charge for just ordinary meat.



Phone Orders Promptly attended to

E. EVANS & SON

E. G. Holley, Mgr. Phone 22

## Local and Personal.

E. F. Purcell was a visitor to Bassano on Tuesday last.

The Hon. Chas. B. Mitchell was a visitor to town on Thursday last. Service will be held in the Anglican Church on Sunday next at 7.30 p.m.

Harry Decker leaves this week to join his wife at Victoria B.C. where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jugo S. Mayer, who have been residing in Calgary for the past seven weeks returned to Bassano on Saturday.

Left—On Saturday evening a Red Cross Life Membership Badge will under glass return to Mrs. G. W. Boyd, Bassano.

Owing to the backwardness of the trees on our boulevard the Town Engineer is providing shade with some luxuriant weeds.

Arvidson Bros. purchased the first header brought into town this year by Smith was the agent and he is anxious to supply as many more as may be required.

E. P. Corrie is spending a vacation at Banff, where he has gone to study the peculiarities of real estate and City, to say nothing of the moon.

Mrs. Jas. Johnston who has recently been visiting in Calgary returned to Bassano on Sunday last.

The rain-storms of Thursday and Friday last week were invaluable as tonics to the run-down ambition of some of our farmers and stimulants to the fellow who has "carried on" throughout the drought.

Crop Reports from all over the west are more encouraging than was even hoped for. Which proves the truth of the old saying, conversely, "Don't count your chickens etc."

A number of Bassano people have been taking the baths at Banff during the past few weeks, among them our namesake Jack Allen. It was a long time before he recognized him on his return.

A large number of people are taking advantage of the offer made by the Powers Optical Co. to examine the eyes of school children free of charge. The offer remains open until September 1st.

We are indebted to Mr. A. MacGregor for the following suggestion that "Our School should be well furnished before reopening on September 3rd, as a precautionary measure against the spreading of the infectious diseases common to children."

Cunning's performance on Tuesday last was one of the biggest fakes we have ever seen—certainly the most scientific and bewildering. Without claiming supernatural powers Cunningham has developed his natural gifts to a very high state of perfection.

Lovers of the quaint and admirable of the novel will be disappointed to learn that Charlie Nutter's fatal accident has mysteriously disappeared. The conjecture is that Chas. went out in a wind storm and the dust cut down the crop before it had a chance to protect itself.

An interesting coincidence was coupled with the Rev. George Woods visit to Bassano on Sunday last. On meeting Rev. Pilon the two pastors discovered that they were old acquaintances, having "come over" on the same boat and in the same party ten years ago, since which time they had lost touch.

The visit of the Rev. George Woods to Bassano and Lethbridge last Sunday was remarkable for the enthusiasm which was roused in the place to which the visitor has dedicated his activities—the care of orphaned children in Alberta. The work, which is a most urgent one, is entirely dependent upon the generosity of the people of Alberta. Approximately \$150.00 was subscribed or promised from the two churches as a result of Mr. Woods' visit.



Don't borrow the other fellow's gun. You will feel more comfortable using your own.

Our ammunition is reliably loaded: You can depend upon the proper amounts of powder and shot being used.

Reliable dealing has not only made our ammunition business big but has made our store grow in every department.

BASSANO HARDWARE Succeeding E. G. Paddon

Found—On the Makepeace trail, a large sized Mackinaw Coat. Owner may have some by applying at Mail Office and paying for this ad.

Commencing next week pictures will be shown at the Gem every night the films being changed: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

It. Somerville made a great catch of fish at the dam last week landing one ten-pounder one seven-pounder and one too slim to mention.

Charlie and Mrs. Parks, who will be remembered by all customers and most of the present generation of this district, arrived in town last night from the east.

### LOST

On Blackfoot Reserve, four saddle ponies, One Buckskin 7 lbs; One Buckskin Colt 4 1/2 yrs. old; 1 Sorrel 3 1/2 yrs. old; 1 Pinto 1 1/2 yrs. old. \$5.00 reward per head for information leading to recovery.

FRANK DALL, Manager

## The Town Of Bassano

Notice Re Closing Streets And Lanes

A NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to sub-section 37 of Section 100 of the Town Act, being Chapter 2 of the Statutes of Alberta 1911-12, that the Council of the Town of Bassano intend, after the expiration of two weeks from the date of the final publication of this notice, which final publication will be September 3rd, 1918, to close and transfer to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, certain streets and lanes within the said Town described as follows:

That portion of Ninth and Tenth Streets East, lying between First and Second Avenues;

The lanes running through the centre of blocks 91 and 92;

All as shown upon a Plan of a portion of the North half of Section Seventeen (17), Township Twenty-One (21), Range Eighteen (18), of the 4th T. 4th R. 18th M. of record in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District as "BASSANO 2018-B."

Any person claiming to be prejudicially affected by the closing of the aforesaid streets and lanes will, upon petitioning the Council to this effect within two weeks from the date of the final publication of this notice be stated above, be given an opportunity to be heard by Council at Bassano.

DATED at Bassano, Alberta, this 20th day of August, A.D. 1918.

GEO. B. B. BUND,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Bassano.

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STILES, The Druggist

## Your Car will Cost you Less

If you have your gas tank filled at the  
Imperial Oil Ltd.  
Gasoline Auto Station

Present Price 43 cts. Per Gallon

You will also effect a great saving if you buy your

Polarine, Mobiloils,  
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For you Save the Middleman's Profit.

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J. B. SCOTT - MANAGER.